

Title (en)  
Bulk conveyor assembly for cigarettes

Title (de)  
Transporteinheit für einen Strom von Zigaretten

Title (fr)  
Ensemble de transport pour un courant de cigarettes

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Abstract (en)  
A bulk conveyor assembly (1) for cigarettes (2), wherein a first one-way conveyor (7) presents a downflow portion (9) extending through a junction (14) of the first conveyor (7) at one end of a second conveyor (18) movable in at least one direction (27) to remove cigarettes (2) from the junction (14); the junction (14) connecting an input portion (15) and an output portion (16) of the first conveyor (7); the input portion (15) presenting a cross section larger than the output portion (16); and the second conveyor (18) extending crosswise to the downflow portion (9) from the junction (14), and being defined by an upper wall (22) and by a lower wall (23) which projects, in relation to the upper wall (22), towards the junction (14) so as to interfere with a stream (29) of cigarettes (2) traveling downwards through the junction (14). <IMAGE>

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